

Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 3.

AN INTERESTING DISCOVERY.—Important discoveries have been made near Floyd, Iowa, of remains of the ancient mound builders. A circular mound 30 feet in diameter and about 2 feet high has been opened and five skeletons found. They were exceedingly well preserved, the earth having been very closely packed around them. Three of them were males, one a female and the fifth a babe. The skull of the female is in a good state of preservation, and those who have made careful measurements of it say that it shows that the person belonged to the very lowest type of humanity. Archaeologists claim that the measurements show inferiority even to the celebrated "Neanderthal" skull. These bones are claimed to be the most perfect of any remains of the mound builders yet discovered. There are several other mounds near this one and they will be examined in a few days.

Portland, Ore., boasts of a Clydesdale horse weighing nearly 3,000 pounds. The horse is 5 years old, is 20 1/2 hands high, 32 inches around his arm, 45 inches around his chest, 7 feet 11 inches girth, 34 1/2 inches around his hip, and 11 feet 1 inch in length. His head is 36 inches long, 11 inches longer than a flour barrel.

Opening and Closing of the Mails.
Northern mails close at 7:30 and 10:30 a. m. and 12:45 and 6:20 p. m. Open at 8:30 a. m., 12:00 m., 4:30 and 6:30 p. m.
Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., close at 10:30 a. m., 3:30 and 9:00 p. m. Open at 8:30 and 11:30 a. m.
Southwestern mails, via Charlottesville, Va., close at 8:30 and 11:25 a. m. and 9:00 p. m. Open at 8:30 a. m., 12:00 m. and 7:30 p. m.
Manassas Division mails close at 2:30 p. m. and 9:00 p. m. Open at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Alexandria and Round Hill, Va., mails close at 8:25 a. m. and 4:10 p. m. Open at 9:00 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.
Closed mails to Falls Church, Vienna, Fairfax C.H., Herndon, Leesburg, Purcellville and Round Hill, Va., close at 4:10 p. m. and open at 9:00 a. m.
Western mails close at 10:30 a. m., 12:45 and 6:20 p. m. Open at 8:30 and 10:00 a. m., and 3:00 and 9:00 p. m.
Washington, D.C., mails close at 7:30 and 10:30 a. m. and 12:45, 4:40 and 6:20 p. m. Open at 8:30 and 10:00 a. m., 12:00 m., and 3:00 and 9:00 p. m.
Office Hours—Open at 8:30 a. m. Close at 5:30 p. m. Open at 6:30 p. m. Close at 7 p. m.
Sunday Hours—Open at 9:00 a. m. Close at 9:30 a. m.
CARRIERS' SCHEDULE.—Collections made on 5-penny routes—6:30 and 10:00 a. m., 12:20 and 4:40 and 5:45 p. m. On 3-trip route—6:30 and 10:00 a. m. and 5:45 p. m.
Deliveries made at 8:00 a. m., 12 m. and 5:00 p. m.
Sunday—Carriers window open at 9:00 and close at 9:30 a. m.

S. S. TOOTH POWDER.
Whitens the Teeth, Hardens the Gums, Sweetens the Breath, Removes Tartar, Preserves the Enamel, Neutralizes Acidity. Price 25 cents.
WARFIELD & HALL,
Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.
By mail on receipt of price. nov3

HEINEKEN'S VIRGINIA WINES.
Norton's Seedling Claret.
Estate of Virginia.
Extra Virginia.
Virginia.
Mill Park Sauterne.
All these Wines are absolutely pure. For sale by my21
GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

DR. HORTON'S MIASMA ANTIDOTE.
THE ONLY INFALLIBLE REMEDY FOR MALARIA AND FEVER AND AGUE.
It never fails to effect a speedy and permanent cure. For sale by
oct13 WARFIELD & HALL.

CHOICE FLOUR.
BAKER'S CRYSTAL.
TENNEY'S NEW SOUTH.
FAMILY AND ROLLER EXTRA.
For sale by
ap23 J. C. MILBURN.

FINE PERFUMERY.
Something New.
Blue Belle of Scotland, Trailing Arbutus, Tally Ho, Marechal Niel Rose and Alpine Violets at
je28 JOHN D. H. LUNT.

RECEIVED TO-DAY.
One carload.
ASSORTED NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES.
CHAS. KING & SON.
dec7

EXTRA CHOICE, RECLEANED WESTERN CLOVER SEED. Timothy, Orchard, Herds and Kentucky Blue Grass, in store and for sale by
HERBERT BRYANT
No. 117 King street.
jan19

PAINT YOUR OWN BUGGY.—Just received the following new line of Colors: Olive Fonce, Ponceau, Ecru, and Jet Coach Black. Call for sample. For sale by
jan25 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

FINE OLD HAMS CHEAP UNTIL SOLD.—I offer MISSOURI and GOLDEN HAMS at 10c. original weight; reweighed 12 1/2c. Every Ham guaranteed.
ap12 J. C. MILBURN.

CIDER! Received to-day
ONE BARREL OF SWEET CIDER.
For sale on draught.
W. A. JOHNSON & CO.
feb22

300 BUSHELS ORCHARD GRASS, Red Top, Extra Clover, Kentucky Blue Grass, German Millet, &c., for sale by
HERBERT BRYANT,
No. 117 King street.
feb20

ONE-POUND BLOCKS OF FISH.
Fancy stock.
sep9 GEORGE MCBURNEY & SON.

BISHOP'S BIRD LICE DESTROYER.
" " SEED.
" " SAND.
A large supply just received and for sale by
nov14 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

ENAMELED KETTLES of all sizes, Apple and tea for sale. Also other metal ware for sale. Call at 328 King, corner of Royal st.
sep8 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

IF YOU CANNOT SEE and cannot find any SPECTACLES to suit you, go to HENRY WILDT'S and have your eyes tested, and you will have no more trouble.
nov20

Sisal and Jute FODDER YARN just received at 328 King street, for sale wholesale and retail by
sep15 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

GUNS, PISTOLS, CAPS, WADS, SHELLS, &c., just opened at 328 King street, corner of Royal, and for sale at reduced prices.
oct23 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

CANNED WHORTLEBERRIES and BLACK-CHERRIES just received by
J. C. MILBURN.
ap16

LEADBEATER'S POROUS PLASTERS, equal to any plaster made, and at much lower prices. Sold by
feb20 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

PRATT'S FOOD—Your cows, pigs, sheep, horses and poultry need Pratt's Food. For sale by
mh26 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

DR. BUCKLAND'S SCOTCH OATS ESSENCE, at \$1 each, just received by
feb20 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

IF YOUR CHICKENS ARE SICK, try LUNT'S CHICKEN CHOLERA CURE. Sold by all druggists and grocers. mh31

BAKING POWDERS.



This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low-test, short-weight alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 105 Wall street, New York.

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c.

ERNEST L. ALLEN,
(Successor to Summers & Allen)
DEALER IN
DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES,
And all articles found in a well-appointed
Drug Store.
Physicians' Prescriptions will receive personal attention. mh25

BROADUS AND SMITH,
(Successors to Samuel H. Lunt)
DEALERS IN DRUGS, MEDICINES,
Chamois, Sponges, Brushes, Perfumery, Toilet
Articles, Cigars, Tobacco, &c., &c.
Prescriptions carefully filled, day or night.
COR. KING AND FAIRFAX STS.,
dec14 1y Alexandria, Virginia.

EDWARD L. LEADBEATER, THOR. LEADBEATER
E. LEADBEATER & BRO.
Nos. 5 and 7 S. Fairfax st.
Established 1792.
DEALERS IN
PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES, CHEMICALS,
PAINTS, OILS, PROPRIETARY MEDICINES,
GARDEN SEEDS, SPICES,
AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS,
FINE TOILET GOODS, &c.
Proprietors of Anodyne Pectoral, Lubricating
Liniment, Essence Jamaica Ginger and Cough
Syrup, and Agents for Ayer's Medicines, Ready-
mixed and Tinted Gloss Paints, &c.
Every effort will be made to maintain the high
reputation of our old establishment. my3
W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT
MEDICINES, OILS, DYE STUFFS,
GARDEN SEEDS, &c., &c.
Corner King and Royal streets,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded.
Orders will receive prompt attention.
mh24-1f
JOHN D. H. LUNT,
(Successor to Lunt & Davidson,
DEALER IN DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT
MEDICINES AND FANCY ARTICLES.
N. E. corner King and Washington streets,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Physicians' Prescriptions a specialty. jan10

L. STABLE & CO.,
(Successors to R. H. Stable)
DRUGGISTS AND CHEMISTS,
N. W. Corner King and Washington Street
Dealers in Patent Medicines, Drugs, Cigars and
Cigarettes, Fine Tooth Brushes, Nail Brushes,
German and Domestic Cologne, Hair Brushes,
Sponges, Flesh Straps, &c. Special care given to
prescriptions. jan28-1f
WARFIELD & HALL,
Corner Prince and Fairfax street.
Prescriptions a specialty. English, French,
German and Domestic Toilet Soaps; Genuine
Fragrance Cologne; Magnolia, Hodeyoma, Geranium
and Florida Water; Genuine Lubin's Extracts;
Sponges, Hair Brushes and Combs; Best English
Tooth Brushes; a full assortment of Patent Medi-
cines, Core's Gelatine, Corn Starch; Sea Moss Fa-
rine; Spices of all kinds, and a select stock of all
articles sold by druggists at prices as low as the
same quality can be obtained elsewhere. dec1

Ice! Ice! Ice!
A full supply of
NORTHERN ICE,
of superior quality, constantly on hand and for
sale, wholesale and retail, on the most favorable
terms.
Orders left with our drivers, at our office, or by
telephone, will receive prompt attention.
Our facilities for delivery by the car load are
unsurpassed in any city.
Packing for country delivery a specialty.
F. A. REED & CO.,
Reed's Wharf.

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c., for the country
trade, at 328 King, corner of Royal street,
Alexandria, Va.—We have just received at the
above number a very large and general stock of
goods in our line to which we invite the attention
of purchasers, both wholesale and retail. It will
pay you to examine our stock before making your
purchases; its costs nothing to try. We make a
specialty in all kinds of Tacks, White Wash Brushes,
Pocket Knives, Locks, Hinges, &c., and other
desirable goods. On hand English and
American Scythes, Snaths, Rakes, Scythe Stones,
Grass Hooks, Hoes, Forks, &c., at extremely
low prices. Call and see at 328 King street.
J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.
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PURE, REFRESHING AND HEALTHY.
Virginia Norton Seedling Claret, pts. and qts.
" Rose of Virginia " " "
" Extra " " "
" Sauterne " " "
" Sherry " " "
40 cases of the above purest Summer Wines in
store and for sale by
feb9 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

FISH.
200 barrels Potomac Herring.
" " Gib Labrador.
" " Split.
200 half barrels Lake Fish.
100 barrels Mackerel Cut Fish.
50 half barrels Pickled.
In store and for sale by
nov16 CHAS. KING & SON.

DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINES, at this time
the leading machine. Prices the same as
usual. Old machines of any kind taken in part
payment. Please call and examine.
mh8 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

The Great Indian Oil & Sagwa
For sale by
nov22 J. D. H. LUNT.

CHOVING AXES and AXE HANDLES, on
hand and for sale at a small advance at 328
King, corner of Royal, by
feb22 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

PARINA, in 1-lb packages, just received by
feb12 J. C. MILBURN.

RAILROADS.

Piedmont Air Line Route.
RICHMOND AND DANVILLE RAILROAD.
VIRGINIA MIDLAND DIVISION.
CONDENSED SCHEDULE, IN EFFECT
February 10, 1889.

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